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## YOUTSEY REPOSED ON BED IN COURT.

Apparently Unconscious of the  
Proceedings and Was Or-  
dered Set Aside.

## TESTIMONY FOR DEFENSE.

Witnesses Made Statements Con-  
tradictory of Evidence Intro-  
duced by the Prosecution—  
Howard to Take the Stand.

Georgetown, Ky., Oct. 16.—If Henry You-  
tsey had a word uttered in his trial to-day  
he gave not the slightest indication of it  
by any movement of the hands, the head,  
the eyes or the lips. So far as any one in  
the courtroom could tell, he never uttered  
a word all day. He was the unconscious  
actor in another realistic scene this after-  
noon when he was brought into the court-  
room proper, lying on his bed. His eyes  
and mouth were slightly closed and he  
looked every whit a dead man when Colonel  
Neison, his lawyer, in a loud voice, asked  
him how did he was and where he lived.  
He gave no replies and was set aside.  
The defense presented some strong testi-  
mony contradictory of the prosecuting wit-  
nesses, and say they have something  
stronger for to-morrow, when they expect  
to rest their case.  
Jim Howard will go on the stand and  
swear that Youtsey did not let him in Pow-  
er's office that morning, and that he was  
not even in the building.  
Youtsey's symptoms have been worse to-  
day. His temperature increased and his  
pulse was greatly accelerated. The physi-  
cians think he is in no immediate danger,  
but a sudden change in his condition  
could come at any time. Jim Howard, who  
will be taken from prison to-morrow to testify  
in the Youtsey case, was visited to-day at  
Frankfort by N. B. Williams, a brother-in-  
law, and Attorney Owens and  
Finnell. They had a long conference with  
Howard.

**Stops the Cough  
and Works Off the Cold.**  
Laxative Bromo-Cough Tablets cure a cold  
in one day. No Cure, No Pay. Price 25 cts.

**Has Re-entered the Bureau.**  
Dallas, Tex., Oct. 16.—The information  
was given out here to-day by the passenger  
department of the Texas and Pacific Rail-  
way Company that the road has re-entered  
the Southwestern Passenger Bureau. The  
announcement of the withdrawal of the  
Texas and Pacific from the bureau was  
made during the latter part of August. E. P.  
Turner, general manager of the Texas and  
Pacific, stated at the time that the action  
was taken because of the non-fulfillment  
of the regulations of the bureau by other  
roads running out of Dallas, and that the  
Texas and Pacific would remain out unless a change was made in  
the rules. The Texas and Pacific, however,  
has now decided to re-enter the bureau.  
Mr. Turner is now in Dallas, N. Y., in at-  
tendance upon a meeting of general passen-  
ger agents, but another official of the Texas  
and Pacific passenger department said that  
all the difficulties had been adjusted in a  
manner satisfactory to the road and the  
membership resumed.

## AMONG THE CLERGY.

Coffee Being Replaced by Postum  
Food Coffee.

"I am the wife of a minister. About  
three years ago a warm friend, an exem-  
plary mother and the conscientious wife  
of a minister, asked me if I had ever tried  
giving up coffee and using the Postum  
Food Coffee. I had been told that her  
executive nervous system and ill health  
said: "We drink nothing else for breakfast  
but Postum Food Coffee, and it gives us  
light and a comfort to have something that  
we do not have to refuse the children when  
they ask for it."  
"I was surprised that she would permit  
the children to drink even the food coffee,  
but she explained that it was a healthful  
beverage and that the children  
thrived on it. A very little thought con-  
vinced me that for brain work, one should  
not rely upon a stimulant such as coffee,  
but should have food and the very best  
of food."  
"My first trial of Postum was a failure.  
The milk of all work brought it to the  
table, lukewarm, weak, and altogether lack-  
ing in character. We were in despair, but  
decided on one more trial. At the second  
trial we faithfully followed the directions,  
used four teaspoonsful of the pint of water,  
let it boil full fifteen minutes after the boil-  
ing began, and served it with rich  
cream. It was delicious and we were all  
won."  
"I have since used the praises of Postum  
Food Coffee on many, many occasions, and  
have induced numbers of friends to aban-  
don coffee and use Postum, with remark-  
able results. The wife of a college pro-  
fessor said to me a short time ago that  
nothing had ever produced so marked a  
change in her husband's health as the leav-  
ing off of coffee and the use of Postum  
Food Coffee." Edith Smith Davis, Apple-  
ton, Wis.

## RAILROAD NEWS FROM ALL POINTS.

Annual Meeting of the American  
Passenger and Ticket Agents'  
Association.

## ANTI-SCALPING COMMITTEE.

Lengthy Report Made Recommend-  
ing National Legislation—Offi-  
cial Classification Commit-  
tee—General Notes.

Buffalo, N. Y., Oct. 16.—The Forty-fifth  
Annual Meeting of the American Passenger  
and Ticket Agents' Association opened  
here to-day with nearly 200 members pres-  
ent. The opening session was occupied by  
routine matters. A large delegation from  
the Southern Railway is en route to Asheville,  
N. C., for the next convention.

President George H. Daniels rapped the  
convention to order and introduced Mayor  
Diehl, who authorized the members to take  
possession of the city and enjoy themselves.  
Mr. Daniels responded.

To-day's session was taken up largely in  
the consideration of the reports of commit-  
tees. Chairman of the Committee on Uniform  
Material for Printing of Interline  
Tickets, the committee reported in favor  
of a safety paper which is used by some  
Western roads at present, and which is cal-  
culated to protect railways from ticket for-  
gery. The committee recommended its adop-  
tion as a matter of safety. A uniform con-  
tract for printing on interline tickets was  
also recommended.

The Committee on "Anti-Scalping Legisla-  
tion" made a lengthy report, reviewing the  
work done during the year. In summing  
up, the committee congratulates the gen-  
eral passenger agents "upon the very gen-  
eral maintenance of regular passenger fares  
and the adoption of conservative methods  
for the conduct of passenger traffic."

The presence of scalpers, the committee  
declared, is a constant menace to the regu-  
lation of rates for public gatherings, and  
continued:

"The attempt to regulate ticket scalping  
by State legislation has not been and can-  
not be wholly successful. The interstate  
character of the business requiring national  
legislation. We therefore respectfully urge  
the continued co-operation of all transpor-  
tation interests in the effort to secure an  
anti-scalping act by the Congress of the  
United States, and to this end we respect-  
fully recommend that this Committee on  
Anti-Scalping Legislation be continued."

The report was received and the commit-  
tee continued its work. This afternoon  
the ladies of the party were taken for a  
drive.

## TRUNK LINE TARIFFS.

Meeting in New York of Official Clas-  
sification Committee.

New York, Oct. 16.—The Official Clas-  
sification Committee of the Trunk Line As-  
sociation held its first session of the annual  
meeting at local headquarters to-day. C.  
E. Gill, chairman of the committee, pre-  
sided. To-day's session was devoted ex-  
clusively to the hearing of arguments of  
shippers. To-morrow it is expected that  
certain special classifications will be con-  
sidered.

This committee has practically the rate-  
making power over all the territory east  
of the Mississippi and south of the Ohio  
River. White shippers do not anticipate an  
increase, but a few are quite certain that  
reductions will be made. The committee  
will be in session until to-morrow, when it  
will adjourn.

The Official Classification Committee put  
into effect a new classification last January.  
It was a radical change, and it has since  
increased, in that the committee changed  
their method by advancing commodities  
from lower to higher classes, thereby carry-  
ing with such commodities such advanced  
an increased rate of freight.

Shippers of all kinds of commodities  
throughout the trunk line territory protest-  
ed against the changes in classification.  
The trunk line shippers have been success-  
ful in getting a long list of articles to  
be classified at a lower rate than the new  
classification, and on which a 15 per cent and 25  
per cent reduction was allowed from the  
regular and third class rates.

Other railroads, notably those in the  
South, following the lead of the Official  
Classification Committee, made changes  
which were even more violent in their ef-  
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## Glass Toweling.

15-inch Irish Glass Toweling and  
17-inch bleached toweling Crash, regu-  
lar value 8 1/2c each—a Basement  
Bargain. To-day at 5c

## Table Damask.

60-inch Turkey Red Damask and  
Fancy Check Damask, regular value  
35c a yard—a Basement  
Bargain. To-day at 19c

## Towels.

All- linen Momie  
Towels, large size,  
regular value 15 cents each—a  
Basement Bargain. To-day at 11c

## Pen Holders.

Enameled, with fancy metal trim-  
mings, regular value 5 cents each—a  
Basement Bargain. To-day at 1c

## Valises.

Club, Traveling  
Bags, dark allig-  
ator, leather lined, 3 sizes, regular  
value \$2.50, \$2.75, and \$3.00—a  
Basement Bargain. To-day at \$1.75

## Handkerchiefs.

Ladies' Plain White Linen Hem-  
stitched Handkerchiefs, "Seconds",  
regular value 10c and 15c each—a  
Basement Bargain. To-day at 6c

## Ladies' Hose.

Ladies' Seamless Fast Black  
Hose—regular value 15c a pair  
—a Basement Bargain. To-day at 10c

## Children's Hose.

Misses' and Children's Ribbed Fast  
Black Cotton Hose—regular value  
15c and 20c a pair—a Basement  
Bargain. To-day at 10c

## Men's Sox.

Men's Fast Black Seamless Cot-  
ton Half Hose—regular 15c  
quality—a Basement Bargain.  
To-day at 10c

## Unlaundered

Shirts—Men's Unlaundered  
Shirts, good muslin,  
Boson bosoms and bands—regu-  
lar value 35c each—a Basement  
Bargain. To-day at 35c

## Dress Goods.

38-inch  
Illuminated Plaids.  
Good, Bright Styles.  
Regular 25c and 35c  
Goods. To-day at 12 1/2c

## Men's Neckwear.

—Ties, Imperials and 4-in-Hand  
Scarfs, regular value 25c each—a  
Basement Bargain. To-day at 10c

## Flannelettes.

Heavy quality, well fleeceed—regu-  
lar value 10c yard—a Basement  
Bargain. To-day at 5c

## Silver Gray

Blankets—Full 10-4 size wool  
mixed, regular price  
\$1.25 pair—a Basement  
Bargain. To-day at 85c

## Comforts.

Silkoline  
key red backs, white cotton fillings,  
regular price \$1.00 each—a Bas-  
ement Bargain. To-day at 75c

## White Quilts.

Crochet Quilt, full size, regular  
value 60c each—a Basement Bar-  
gain. To-day at 40c

## Animal Paper.

Dogs, Mice, Alli-  
ghors, Bulls, etc., regular value  
10c each—a Basement  
Bargain. To-day at 10c

## School Bags.

Twine Net School Bags, regular  
value 10c—a Basement  
Bargain. To-day at 6c

## Wool Vests—Ladies'

All-Wool  
Scarlet and Natural Wool Vests,  
regular value \$1.00 and \$1.25—a  
Basement Bargain. To-day at 65c

## Union Suits—Ladies'

Angora  
Combination Union Suits, regular  
value \$1.00 a suit, a Bas-  
ement Bargain. To-day at 55c

## Shirts, Drawers

—Men's Natural Wool Shirts and  
Drawers, regular value \$1.00—a  
Basement Bargain. To-day at 65c

## Castile Soap—Pure

Castile Soap, full size cake, regular  
value 10c cake—a Basement  
Bargain. To-day at 2c

## Pencil Boxes—School

Companion, regular value 10 cents  
each—a Basement Bargain.  
To-day at 5c

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## LITTLE DAUGHTER WITNESSED TRAGEDY

Senator Blackburn's Son-in-Law  
Shot Himself in the Pres-  
ence of His Child.

## DEPRESSED BY ILL HEALTH.

After Kissing His Wife Good Night  
and Tenderly Embracing His  
Daughter, He Sent a Bul-  
let Into His Brain.

Washington, Oct. 16.—Thomas F. Lane,  
25 years old, American agent for a prom-  
inent gun company of London, and son-in-  
law of former Senator J. C. Blackburn of  
Kentucky, died last night by sending a bullet  
into his brain.

The suicide was not made public until to-  
day. The sad affair was the result, it is  
said, of fear on the part of Mr. Lane that  
he had the disease, and that it would  
result in his death unless he took better  
care of himself than he had been taking.

Because of the fear this warning engendered,  
he had been taking stimulants. The  
matter had preyed upon his mind, it is  
stated, to the extent of rendering him ir-  
responsible for what he did last night.

For several days Mr. Lane had been in  
an extremely nervous condition. He was  
at his office during the day, and went home  
late in the afternoon, where he ate dinner  
with his wife and child. He had intended  
going to the theater last night, but changed  
his mind and remained at home until about  
9 o'clock, when he told his wife he was  
going out for a walk. Nearly two hours  
later he returned, and was soon ready to  
retire. Before going to his room he kissed  
his wife good-night, and also gave his lit-  
tle daughter a good-night kiss.

Neither his conversation nor manner gave  
his wife any idea that he contemplated  
self-destruction.

## Daughter Witnessed the Tragedy.

When her husband went to the front  
room on four o'clock, she heard him  
accustomed to spend his nights. Mrs.  
Lane went into a small room on the same  
floor, and sought rest on a couch. Little  
Theresa, seven followed him from her  
mother's room and partly closed the door  
behind her, which prevented the mother  
from distinctly understanding what was  
said. She heard the little one talking to  
her father, as if inquiring why he was load-  
ing his revolver, or what he was going to  
do with it. Before the sound of the child's  
voice had died away, Mrs. Lane was start-  
led at the report of the weapon. Rushing  
to the room where her husband and child  
were, she found her husband in a dy-  
ing condition lying on the bed. She saw no  
blood from the wound, which had been  
made just behind the right ear. She was  
in the room, it was found, that the ex-  
posed his face that he had received a mortal  
wound.

The little daughter, hardly old enough to  
realize the seriousness of the tragedy she  
had witnessed, was still at the bedside of  
her father. Realizing that prompt action  
might be of some avail, Mrs. Lane sum-  
moned Doctor Johnson, who lives in the ad-  
joining house. Doctors Kerr and Carr were  
also summoned, and they remained with  
the wounded man until about midnight,  
when he died.

The bullet was discovered to have entered  
near the right ear, and to have taken an  
upward course through the brain, lodging  
in the skull. It was found that the skull  
had been broken and the scalp slightly  
raised. All the doctors could do was to  
make the effort to prevent unusual suf-  
fering on the part of the patient, and in  
this they were successful. Mrs. Lane be-  
came nervous and hysterical. She remained  
at her husband's bedside until death  
claimed him, and even after he died she  
refused to leave the room. On account of  
her nervous condition the doctors found it  
necessary to prescribe for her, to-day, it  
was stated, she was in a serious condition.

The coroner called at the house early  
this morning, and made an investigation of  
the case. Mrs. Lane told him of the lat-  
ter's condition during the past few weeks  
and of how the fear of death from Bright's  
disease had preyed upon his mind. The be-  
trayed woman also told of the little daugh-  
ter going into the room, and of what was  
done to save his after the shot was fired.  
A certificate of death from a self-inflicted  
wound was given, and an undertaker pre-  
pared the body for burial. J. W. Blackburn,  
a nephew of the ex-senator, and Mrs.  
Davis, a friend of the family, were among  
the early arrivals at the house, and they  
took charge of affairs this morning. Many  
persons who heard of the sad tragedy

## NEBRASKA'S WEALTH.

Nebraska's 1900 crop shows  
225 Million bushels of Corn,  
7 Million tons of Hay,  
100 Million bushels of Wheat, Oats, Rye and Barley.

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Between the moving cars and was run  
over. His right leg was cut off below the  
knee and the left one broken. He also sus-  
tained many bruises.

## THE KURDS ARE WARLIKE.

Authorities Concerned Over Tribal  
Risings.

Constantinople, Oct. 16.—The tribal risings  
among the Kurds are assuming threatening  
proportions. The authorities are greatly  
concerned. The troops have had to inter-  
vene in the Diarbekir district, where a num-  
ber of Christian and Mussulman villages  
have been razed.

## A Convict Horribly Injured.

Hallettsville, Tex., Oct. 16.—The San An-  
tonio and Aransas Pass Railroad Com-  
pany employs convicts on the work on its  
road. To-day, James Brady, a white man,  
sent the convicts to work on the road  
from Wichita County, for ten years, fell

## STILL BUYING MULES.

British Army Lets Contract for  
Fifteen Hundred of Them.

## REPUBLICAN SPECIAL.

New Orleans, La., Oct. 16.—Captain Mar-  
shall, who has been in charge of the British  
War Office agency here, returned to New  
Orleans to-day, and reported the closed  
season and let another contract for the  
purchase of 1,500 mules, distributed between  
St. Louis, Kansas City and Omaha. It is  
understood that the British War Depart-  
ment has decided not to close its agency  
here, but to continue to buy mules in this  
country, until the Transportation Department of the  
British Army of the Middle East is out of all the  
colonies, is fully equipped.

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